

# SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

## AGUDAS ACHIM CONGREGATION

שבת פרשת וירא

PARASHAT VAYERA



17 Heshvan 5782 / October 22-23, 2021

ז' חשוון תשפ"ב

### TORAH READING PARASHAT VAYERA

*Aliyot 1-7*  
Bereishit/Genesis  
21:1-22:24 ..... p. 112

*Maftir*  
Bereishit/Genesis  
22:20-24 ..... p. 121

*Haftarah*  
2 Melakhim/2 Kings  
4:1-37 ..... p. 124

*Page numbers refer to  
the Etz Hayim chumash.*

### YASHER KOACH

to our Torah &  
Haftarah readers:

Nancy Hailpern  
Mike Scheinberg  
Rachel Goldberg



### MUSIC OF THE ABAYUDAYA

WITH  
RABBI GERSHOM SIZOMU

Sunday, Oct. 24 | 1 PM  
In February, Rabbi  
Gershom Sizomu joined us  
for a virtual program about the  
history and music of the  
Abayudaya community in  
Uganda. Now, he will present  
the inspiring, beautiful music  
of his amazing community.  
[Register for a Zoom link.](#)

## SHABBAT SERVICES

### Friday, October 22

Kabbalat Shabbat.....6:00 PM

Candle Lighting .....6:03 PM

### Saturday, October 23

Shabbat Services .....9:30 AM

Havdalah .....7:01 PM

Virtual Community Ma'ariv  
& Havdalah.....7:00 PM

For a Shabbat service link, visit the Virtual Worship page,

[www.agudasachim-va.org/virtual-worship.html](http://www.agudasachim-va.org/virtual-worship.html)

For Saturday evening use the weekday link.

### NOAM

Saturdays | 10 AM

Youth in grades K-6 are invited to join Morah Chaya in the Sukkah courtyard for age-appropriate Shabbat learning and services. This week, students in grades 3-5 will receive their very own copy of our community's prayer book, *Siddur Lev Shalem*.

### GAN SHABBAT

Saturdays | 10 AM

Families with children up to age 5 are invited to the field behind AAC for songs, prayers and Torah stories.

### DAILY MINYAN

Morning minyan meets in person on Torah reading days: Mondays, Thursdays, Rosh Chodesh. Other mornings and all evenings on Zoom.

#### Mornings

Mon.-Fri. | 7:30 AM

Sun./Federal Holidays | 9 AM

#### Evenings

Sun.-Thurs. | 7:30 PM

Login for Zoom [www.agudasachim-va.org/virtual-worship](http://www.agudasachim-va.org/virtual-worship)

# Shabbat

## HAPPENINGS

**WELCOME** to Shabbat services in the Cohen Sanctuary and in cyberspace. To participate remotely, please join with the Shabbat service link. To get a link, register here, [tinyurl.com/Shabbat-Zoom](http://tinyurl.com/Shabbat-Zoom).

**KIDDUSH** All congregants are invited to pick up a kiddush bag.

### SHABBAT SPEAKERS

This Shabbat we welcome Rabbi Jack Moline as our speaker.

Next week, for Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Dr. Michael Linver will speak.

### CALENDAR

**Sisterhood Board Meeting:** Thursday, November 4 | 8 PM

**Knitting Club:** Sundays | 12:30 PM | [Zoom](#)

### ADULT EDUCATION AT AAC

**Daf HaShavua/Talmud: Jewish Civil Law** | Fridays, 9 AM | Zoom

**Parashat HaShavua: Study the Weekly Torah Portion**

Saturdays | 9 AM | in person - **No class Oct. 23.**

**Introduction to Judaism** | Tuesdays, 7 PM | in person

**Jewish Ritual: The Basics** | Tuesdays, 8 PM | in person & Zoom

**Foundations for a Thoughtful Judasim--Practice** begins **October 27**

Wednesdays, 7 PM | in person

This newest curriculum from the Shalom Hartman Institute explores questions that are fundamental to Jewish practice. Please email [Harriet Cohen](mailto:Harriet.Cohen) to register for this class.

## You are cordially invited to the Rabbi Jack Moline Lecture Series

Sunday, November 7 | 4 PM

### "THE BUS TO BUCHENWALD"

**FEATURING CORINNA DA FONSECA-WOLLHEIM**

*Music critic in New York City, contributor to The New York Times*

All are invited to hear this engaging speaker.

- In-person and virtual options available.
- Reception to follow at Agudas Achim.
- Registration required: [agudasachim-va.org/moline-lecture-2021.html](http://agudasachim-va.org/moline-lecture-2021.html)



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# IN THE Family

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**Anniversaries:** Richard & Dorit Askenazy, Rosalie Begun & Terry Carter, Shay & Jamie Dvoretzky, Jerome & Burnham Morse, Michelle Proser & Alan Elias, Noah Segal & Olivia Byer, Michael & MacKenzie Silverman, Matthew Golub & Samantha Golden

**Birthdays:** Margot Carter, Terry Carter, Evan Fagen, Dalia Fishman, Mariah Frank, Sally Freed, Joel Freed, Levi Goldfarb, Ari Halpern, Greg Higgins, Gail Kutner, David Leekoff, Jay Lerner, Ally Milewich, George Perlman, Iva Quint, Arnold Rosenblatt, Gabriela Selmonosky, Gail Serenco, Chaya Silver, Gabriela Tannenbaum, Christine Trevaskis, Rebecca Weiner, Burton Ziskind

**Births:** Rotem Shuman born October 8, great-grandson to Deanna Shuman and Larry Shuman z"l, son of Michal and Amitai Shuman of Petah Tikva, Israel.

## NEW MEMBERS

**Gerda and Benjamin Weltman** (Rabbi Rein's grandparents), giteib@aol.com

**Rachel and Jared Dashoff**, racheldashoff@gmail.com, jared.dashoff@gmail.com

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# IN Memoriam

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## OUR SINCERE CONDOLENCES TO...

*Rabbi Steven & Jodi Rein on the death of his aunt, Ari and Ilan Rein on the death of their great-aunt, Sharon & Alan Rein on the death of her sister, and Ben & Gerda Weltman on the death of their daughter, Sandy Ganz z"l.*

*Elliot & Karen Parkin on the death of his brother, Rachel Parkin and Elena Han on the death of their*

*It is customary to light a memorial candle at home on the evening prior to the English date listed.*

*\*A memorial light will be lit in the synagogue.*

*uncle, Robert Parkin z"l.  
This week we remember...*

**OCTOBER 23, 2021**  
17 CHESHVAN

Jennie Clayman\*  
Louis Cylinder  
Louis Finkelstein  
Herman Garbowitz  
Louis Gollomp  
David Kraushaar  
Robert Kushnir  
Itzhak Lieberman  
Ann Singer

**24 OCTOBER 2021**  
18 CHESHVAN

Vivian Eicher  
Florence Esbin  
Ethel Frommer\*  
Judith Katz-Berger  
Ida Kerbel\*  
Kit Rackmales\*

Nathan Rosenblum  
Henrietta Rustwijk

**25 OCTOBER 2021**  
19 CHESHVAN

Phillip Abraham  
Joseph Forman\*  
Myron Hirsch  
Anna Kramer\*  
Irving Spector

**26 OCTOBER 2021**  
20 CHESHVAN

Selma Borger  
Louis Cooper\*  
Louis Dorfman  
Oscar Fiedler  
Jennie Flax\*  
David Kamely  
Victor Levine  
Bertha Lieberman  
Laura Ziegeler

**27 OCTOBER 2021**  
21 CHESHVAN

Fatima Frapolli

**28 OCTOBER 2021**  
22 CHESHVAN

Judith Arkin\*  
Nathan Botuck\*  
Frieda Cohen\*  
Robert Feller\*  
Arne Fliflet  
Eileen Lazar Morgan  
Helen Singer\*

**29 OCTOBER 2021**  
23 CHESHVAN

Jacob Finn\*  
H. David Kafka\*  
Andrea Papeika  
Harry Richman\*  
Leah Spiro\*  
Nathan Spiro  
Sara Warshawsky\*

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# Upcoming

# EVENTS

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## ALIVE! WALKATHON

A heartfelt thanks to the more than 30 AAC community members, their friends and extended family members who together contributed nearly \$3,000 to the StepALIVE! Walkathon, making us the congregation with the most dollars raised. Our name—Agudas Achim Congregation—will be engraved on the Congregational Cup, which we will then possess until the next Walkathon.

## REFUGEE AID

Agudas Achim congregants are setting up an apartment for an Afghan refugee family. To donate items or volunteer your time, please visit [www.agudasachim-va.org/refugee.html](http://www.agudasachim-va.org/refugee.html) for details and a list of needs.

**Gift card** collections are ongoing (Target, Giant, Visa, Uber, Walmart, Lyft) in the office and at congregant homes. Questions? Contact [Barbara Elkin](#).

## LEGAL ISSUES THROUGH A JEWISH LENS

Saturday, October 23 | 12:15 PM

Taught by David Bernstein, this teen discussion of particular cases will not only review the legal issues, but also what the cases say about American Jewry and Judaism.

## FORUM ON MIDDLE EAST DYNAMICS

Monday, October 25 | 8 PM

Torah Fund is offering a free, virtual educational forum on Israel's role in Middle

East dynamics. Join by Zoom at [tinyurl.com/TF-Israel](https://tinyurl.com/TF-Israel).

## SISTERHOOD WALK FOR ALIVE!

Sunday, October 31 | 10 AM

All are invited to join Sisterhood for an outdoor walk as an extension of the ALIVE! Walkathon. Meet in the AAC parking lot.

## GET A CARRY-OUT CHICKEN DINNER

Enjoy a home-cooked chicken piccata meal from the AAC kitchen.

Order by Monday, Nov. 1  
Pick up on Thursday, Nov. 4

Get the menu and order here,  
[www.agudasachim-va.org/kosher-food#](http://www.agudasachim-va.org/kosher-food#)

## CELEBRATE SIGD

Wednesday, November 3 | 12 PM

The Jewish Agency welcomes all on Zoom to learn about the Jewish Ethiopian holiday of Sigd, a celebration of Jewish unity. Details and Zoom registration here: [www.agudasachim-va.org/bringing-israel-to-aac.html](http://www.agudasachim-va.org/bringing-israel-to-aac.html).

## YOUNG FAMILIES SHABBAT PICNIC DINNER

Friday, November 5 | 5:15 PM

Gather together in the amphitheater/field, sing songs and blessings, and enjoy a picnic dinner. Bring your picnic (dairy or parve) and a chair or blanket to sit on. Afterward, all are welcome at the playground or in the service.

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## KOSHER FOOD DELIVERED TO AAC

**Holy Chow** | every other month

Wed., Nov. 17 | 5 PM

Order: call 301-649-5466

**Moti's Market**

Tues., Nov. 23 (for Thanksgiving) | 5 PM

Order: [motismarket.com](http://motismarket.com);

Select "pickup" at Agudas Achim.

**Kosherwine.com**

Order: call Brad, 202-796-9824; or

[brad@kosherwine.com](mailto:brad@kosherwine.com)

**Sunflower Sweets of the Month**

Next delivery: Tues, Nov. 23 (before Thanksgiving)

Sunflower Bakery delights menu and ordering:

[www.sunflowerbakery.org/shop/uncategorized/sweets-of-the-month-2/](http://www.sunflowerbakery.org/shop/uncategorized/sweets-of-the-month-2/)

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